# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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ADHESIVE COMPOSITION AND OPTICAL DEVICE USING THE SAME

## **AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated October 24, 2002, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

### **IN THE CLAIMS**

#### Please amend the claims as follows:

- 1. (Amended) An adhesive composition comprising the following components:
- (A) an organopolysiloxane having two alkenyl groups per molecule and a molecular weight of 1,000 or more, wherein said alkenyl groups contain 1 to 4 carbon atoms, and wherein said alkenyl groups are directly bonded to silicon atoms;
- (B) an organohydrogenpolysiloxane having at least two Si-H bonds per molecule and a molecular weight of 1,000 or more;
- (C) a platinum-based catalyst; and
- (D) at least one selected from the group consisting of an organocyclic silicon compound (D-1) having at least three alkenyl groups and 3 to 8 silicon atoms per molecule and a molecular weight of less than 1,000, wherein said alkenyl groups contain 1 to 4 carbon atoms, and wherein said